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Table 1: Economy

		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	1 738	1 402	1 089	865	1 105
Unemployment rate	%	3.3	2.6	1.9	1.5	1.8
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	10 459	12 255	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	73.2	97.5	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	6 997	7 960	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	49 743	49 632	-
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	2 768.4	3 155.5	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	$	-	-	55 654	63 578	-
Net tax	$m	-	-	754.8	844.2	-
Average net tax	$	-	-	15 174	17 009	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	27	27	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	60 202	61 887	-
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	2 841.6	3 253.1	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	47 200	52 564	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Centrelink	no.	8 513	8 551	8 399	8 329	8 751
Age Pension - DVA	no.	55	59	54	46	49
Carers Payment	no.	201	208	205	246	260
Disability Support Pension	no.	1 874	1 869	1 843	1 758	1 760
Newstart Allowance	no.	1 245	980	808	650	644
Parenting Payment - Single	no.	1 389	1 392	1 232	1 063	908
Youth Allowances	no.	1 758	1 642	1 467	1 195	1 123
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	51.3	54.7	53.0	56.3	49.2
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	43 274	44 323	45 252	46 825	-
Wage and salary income	$m	1 724.4	1 859.9	2 001.7	2 192.1	-
Average Wage and salary income	$	39 848	41 962	44 235	46 815	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	8 613	8 506	8 516	8 534	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	171.8	188.2	204.7	234.5	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	$	19 943	22 121	24 033	27 474	-
Investment earners	no.	36 870	38 365	38 605	41 045	-
Investment income	$m	306.6	353.4	429.4	531.4	-
Average Investment Income	$	8 315	9 212	11 122	12 947	-
Superannuation and annuity earners	no.	3 827	4 014	4 193	4 322	-
Superannuation and annuity income	$m	82.0	93.4	104.8	117.2	-
Average Superannuation and annuity income	$	21 437	23 261	24 944	27 120	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	7 850	8 196	8 428	8 924	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	34.4	37.8	42.5	53.7	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$	4 380	4 613	5 044	6 020	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	2 319.1	2 532.8	2 782.9	3 128.9	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	4 123	4 438	4 638	4 891	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	4 316	4 239	4 180	4 257	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	4 724	4 711	4 721	4 807	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	5 075	5 049	5 122	5 168	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	3 053	3 238	3 449	3 576	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	772	825	922	964	-
Males - Total	no.	22 063	22 500	23 032	23 663	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	4 356	4 601	4 675	5 011	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	4 038	4 055	3 945	4 136	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	4 636	4 640	4 655	4 715	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	5 291	5 372	5 459	5 539	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	2 491	2 702	2 980	3 157	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	400	451	506	603	-
Females - Total	no.	21 212	21 821	22 220	23 161	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	8 479	9 039	9 313	9 902	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	8 354	8 294	8 125	8 393	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	9 360	9 351	9 376	9 522	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	10 366	10 421	10 581	10 707	-
Persons 55 years to 64 years	no.	5 544	5 940	6 429	6 733	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	1 172	1 276	1 428	1 567	-
Persons - Total	no.	43 275	44 321	45 252	46 824	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	4 556	4 597	4 712	4 812	-
Professionals	no.	11 119	11 475	11 617	12 105	-
Associate Professionals	no.	3 361	3 411	3 461	3 808	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	2 957	2 981	3 144	3 278	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	1 387	1 348	1 334	1 350	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	7 288	7 486	7 693	7 915	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	1 564	1 684	1 713	1 764	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	3 782	3 912	3 996	4 090	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	2 452	2 650	2 819	2 886	-
Not Stated	no.	4 819	4 799	4 763	4 818	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	43 276	44 323	45 252	46 824	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June						
Net worth per household	$'000	530.3	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	$m	19 427.1	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	$'000	334.7	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	$'000	603.7	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	$'000	73.4	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	12.2	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	5 904	5 592	5 619	5 784	-
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	1 881	2 106	2 178	2 358	-
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	1 203	1 266	1 275	1 242	-
Total businesses	no.	8 988	8 964	9 072	9 384	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	1 227	1 065	1 005	1 155	-
Employing business entries	no.	432	390	438	462	-
Total business entries	no.	1 659	1 455	1 443	1 617	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	1 368	1 311	984	1 011	-
Employing business exits	no.	57	90	306	318	-
Total business exits	no.	1 425	1 401	1 290	1 329	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	342	339	366	411	-
Mining	no.	81	96	108	108	-
Manufacturing	no.	510	498	450	462	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	0	0	3	0	-
Construction	no.	1 104	1 110	1 146	1 176	-
Wholesale trade	no.	444	450	462	453	-
Retail trade	no.	957	945	930	903	-
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	195	204	204	201	-
Transport and storage	no.	339	321	312	342	-
Communication services	no.	87	75	84	102	-
Finance and insurance	no.	795	795	861	867	-
Property and business services	no.	2 979	2 973	3 036	3 108	-
Education	no.	96	90	96	87	-
Health and community services	no.	630	630	648	672	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	171	168	183	195	-
Personal and other services	no.	258	270	273	297	-
Total businesses	no.	8 988	8 964	9 072	9 384	-

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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 444	2 471
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2 796	2 721
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 373	3 365
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3 947	3 954
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 749	3 878
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2 694	2 619
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 763	2 656
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	2 877	2 895
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3 422	3 322
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3 679	3 727
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3 591	3 540
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 219	3 295
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2 190	2 352
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 729	1 707
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 544	1 528
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 319	1 347
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	923	957
Males - 85 years and over	no.	539	571
Males - Total	no.	46 798	46 905
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 318	2 320
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2 642	2 583
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 373	3 321
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	4 095	4 064
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 618	3 705
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2 505	2 437
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 941	2 851
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	3 247	3 263
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3 976	3 884
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	4 186	4 172
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3 939	4 021
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 142	3 268
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2 264	2 333
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 972	1 954
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 870	1 820
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 841	1 842
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 482	1 498
Females - 85 years and over	no.	1 213	1 319
Females - Total	no.	50 624	50 655
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	4 762	4 791
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	5 438	5 304
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	6 746	6 686

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	8 042	8 018
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	7 367	7 583
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	5 199	5 056
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	5 704	5 507
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	6 124	6 158
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	7 398	7 206
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	7 865	7 899
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	7 530	7 561
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	6 361	6 563
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	4 454	4 685
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	3 701	3 661
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	3 414	3 348
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	3 160	3 189
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	2 405	2 455
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	1 752	1 890
Persons - Total	no.	97 422	97 560
POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June			
Population density	persons/km2	-	-
ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006			
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer			
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006			
Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006			
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006			
Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006			
Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006			
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006			
Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December			
Births	no.	947	888

Total fertility rate	rate	1.5	1.5
Deaths	no.	641	645
Standardised death rate	rate	5.2	5.2

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2006	2007	2008
2 499	2 530	2 615
2 763	2 753	2 753
3 327	3 281	3 238
3 992	4 009	3 928
3 951	4 055	4 082
2 619	2 675	2 804
2 540	2 467	2 438
2 896	2 986	2 981
3 287	3 294	3 250
3 707	3 663	3 668
3 592	3 587	3 585
3 335	3 336	3 327
2 467	2 650	2 826
1 701	1 808	1 888
1 506	1 467	1 505
1 356	1 393	1 339
972	986	1 018
606	671	744
47 116	47 611	47 989
2 306	2 431	2 519
2 605	2 620	2 654
3 247	3 170	3 146
3 980	3 971	3 908
3 828	3 861	3 854
2 493	2 555	2 679
2 670	2 556	2 475
3 294	3 338	3 288
3 842	3 751	3 683
4 178	4 211	4 147
4 039	4 030	4 049
3 377	3 400	3 487
2 405	2 616	2 745
1 918	1 997	2 032
1 803	1 758	1 751
1 837	1 810	1 751
1 525	1 523	1 600
1 371	1 505	1 594
50 718	51 103	51 362
4 805	4 961	5 134
5 368	5 373	5 407
6 574	6 451	6 384

7 972	7 980	7 836
7 779	7 916	7 936
5 112	5 230	5 483
5 210	5 023	4 913
6 190	6 324	6 269
7 129	7 045	6 933
7 885	7 874	7 815
7 631	7 617	7 634
6 712	6 736	6 814
4 872	5 266	5 571
3 619	3 805	3 920
3 309	3 225	3 256
3 193	3 203	3 090
2 497	2 509	2 618
1 977	2 176	2 338
97 834	98 714	99 351
-	-	1 874.5
0.6	-	-
2.0	-	-
12.2	-	-
2.5	-	-
0.7	-	-
8.0	-	-
2.5	-	-
1.7	-	-
1.3	-	-
2.6	-	-
33.7	-	-
16.3	-	-
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3.9	-	-
2.1	-	-
18.0	-	-
9.9	-	-
13.6	-	-
11.8	-	-
59.3	-	-
14.2	-	-
28.0	-	-
12.0	-	-
8.2	-	-
15.9	-	-
10.5	-	-

3.2	-	-
6.5	-	-
1.5	-	-
8 543	-	-
1 066	-	-
24 872	-	-
34 481	-	-
9 816	-	-
2 178	-	-
9 326	-	-
2 180	-	-
1 120	-	-
497	-	-
25 117	-	-
73 712	-	-
12 023	-	-
48 765	-	-
28 601	-	-
100.0	-	-
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0.0	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
20.5	-	-
19.7	-	-
8.0	-	-
1.2	-	-
10.9	-	-
50.3	-	-
21.1	-	-
0.6	-	-
72.0	-	-
980	989	1 040

1.6	1.7	1.8
606	624	670
5.1	4.9	4.9

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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	403	367
Total dwelling units	no.	565	441
Value of private sector houses	$m	96.3	107.0
Value of new residential building	$m	165.6	119.9
Value of total residential building	$m	185.2	137.4
Value of total non-residential building	$m	66.9	42.4
Value of total building	$m	252.1	179.9
Average value of private sector houses	$'000	238.9	291.2
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	59 566	60 419
Campervans	no.	249	219
Light commercial vehicles	no.	6 495	6 577
Light rigid trucks	no.	188	196
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	616	605
Articulated trucks	no.	103	131
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	53	111
Buses	no.	226	237
Motorcycles	no.	1 642	1 743
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	69 138	70 238
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	611	619
Campervans	no.	3	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	67	67
Light rigid trucks	no.	2	2
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	6	6
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	2	2
Motorcycles	no.	17	18
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	710	720
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	17 863	18 754
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	20 031	20 319
10 years or older	no.	31 243	31 164
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	63 369	64 180

Diesel	no.	4 434	4 759
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	1 335	1 299
GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June			
Gross value of crops	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	$m	-	-
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June			
Total area			
Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-
Total number			
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
467	185	272
556	278	393
149.0	82.4	138.0
170.8	107.4	166.3
195.5	123.9	195.0
29.5	31.0	84.3
225.0	154.9	279.4
318.9	445.6	507.4
61 480	64 318	65 271
202	211	203
6 863	7 981	8 608
225	253	300
652	756	784
124	143	158
111	145	146
251	259	261
1 989	2 285	2 563
71 897	76 351	78 294
628	652	657
2	2	2
70	81	87
2	3	3
7	8	8
1	1	2
1	1	1
3	3	3
20	23	26
735	773	788
20 250	25 585	27 323
20 392	20 398	20 646
31 252	30 367	30 324
65 477	68 416	68 881

5 096	6 165	7 232
1 324	1 770	2 180
0.2	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.5	-	-
0.0	-	-
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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	53.0
0	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
0.0	-	-